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EXAMINER	: Lauren Wells
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FOR	: Active Ingredient Combinations of Surface-Active Citric Acid Esters and $\alpha$ -Lipoic Acid and Cosmetic and Dermatological Preparations Containing Such Mixtures

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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Prior to examining this application on the merits, it is requested that amendment  
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